

tube, said hole having a circumference defining at least one tab.

2. The charge holder of Claim 1 wherein said case comprises a rear ridge.
3. The charge holder of Claim 1 wherein said case comprises a first and second ridge defining a groove between, and wherein said tab can be captured within said groove.
4. (Amended) The charge holder of Claim 3 wherein said case further comprises a flat surface positioned on a portion of the second ridge to allow the at least one tab access to said groove.
5. The charge holder of Claim 1 wherein said case further defines a cord retainer for retaining a detonation cord.
6. (Amended) The charge holder of Claim 3 wherein the circumference of the at least one hole has a diameter approximately equal to a diameter of the first ridge.
7. The charge holder of Claim 3 wherein said tab has a length approximately equal to a depth of the groove.

8. A perforation gun comprising:

- (a) a charge holder for accepting at least one explosive charge stored in a case;
- (b) a cover for use over the charge holder; and
- (c) a detonation cord for connecting the at least one explosive charge to a detonation source;

wherein the charge holder comprises a loading tube including at least one hole disposed through a wall of said loading tube, said hole having a circumference defining at least one tab.

9. The perforation gun of Claim 8 wherein said case has a rear ridge.

10. The perforation gun of Claim 8 wherein said case comprises a first and second ridge defining a groove between, and wherein said tab can be captured within said groove.

11. (Amended) The perforation gun of Claim 10 wherein said case further comprises a flat surface positioned on a portion of the second ridge to allow the at least one tab access to said groove.

12. The perforation gun of Claim 8 wherein said case further defines a cord retainer for retaining a detonation cord.

13. (Amended) The perforation gun of Claim 10 wherein the circumference of the at least one hole has a diameter approximately equal to a diameter of the first ridge.

14. The perforation gun of Claim 10 wherein said tab has a length approximately equal to a depth of the groove.

15. A method of loading a perforation gun comprising the steps of:
  - (a) inserting at least one explosive charge in a case into a charge holder comprises a loading tube including at least one hole disposed through a wall of said loading tube, said hole having a circumference defining at least one tab; and wherein the case has a groove for accepting the tab; and
  - b) rotating the case to capture the tab within the groove.
16. The method of Claim 15 further comprises:
  - c) attaching a detonation cord to a cord retainer on the case.
17. The method of Claim 15 further comprises:
  - (c) placing a cover over the charge holder.

18. A method of perforating a well comprising the steps of:
- (a) loading a carrier holder with at least one explosive charge in a case, wherein the charge holder has at least one hole disposed through a wall, said hole having a circumference defining at least one tab; and wherein the case has a groove for accepting the tab;
  - b) rotating the case to capture the tab within the groove.
  - (c) attaching a detonation cord to a cord retainer on the case.
  - (d) lowering the carrier holder into the well; and
  - (e) detonating the at least one explosive charge.
19. (Amended) The method of Claim 18 further comprises placing a cover over the charge holder before lowering the carrier holder into the well.